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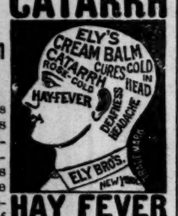

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After Lynchers.

Judge A. J. Lincoln, of the Criminal Court in Springfield, Mo., in charging the grand jury yesterday, was bitter in his statements After reciting the causes that led up to the calling together of the jury he said:

"This outrage deserves the condemnation of all good citizens and the most rigid investigation at your hands. All persons, their aiders and abettors engaged in that shameful outrage are guilty, under the law, of murder in the first degree. The law makes it no less a crime because 200 men engaged in the consummation of the crime than if one man alone and under cover of night committed the offense. Crime never becomes lawful because multitudes seek to give it sanction. Mob violence never has and never can accomplish good. Lawlessness places all things and all men in peril Let the lash fall where it may. You should indict every man proved to your reasonable satisfaction to be guilty. Whether friend or foe, rich or poor, high or low, wherever you find guilt, let that guilt be punished. The path of safety lies in the most vigorous, rigid and exhaustive investigation. The night's scenes have turned backward the hands on the dial of our progress, we know not how far, and only the most vigorous measures can compel a rebound."

The taking of testimony was begun without delay. Warrants for the arrest of 100 men connected with the lynching are in the hands of Sheriff Horner. Five men were arrested Monday night. Three more were arrested up to noon yesterday.

Someone, supposed to be a negro, fired two bullets early yesterday morning into the house of S. P. Fielder, a traveling man. Fielder is the father of Ollie Fielder, the young woman whom Leslie Peters was escorting home Monday night when, being attacked by two negroes, he shot and killed one of them. Several hours later two bullets were fired through the windows of the bedroom occupied by Mrs. Fielder and her three babies. No one was hurt, but the family became panic-stricken. Mr. Fielder was away at the time.

Investigating Boycott.

As stated in the Gazette of that day causes for the Chinese boycott of American goods were inquired into yesterday by the Senate committee on immigration in compliance with a resolution introduced by Senator Tillman. Chas. Denby, chief clerk of the State department, who for 20 years was in China attached to the American Legation and later holding positions under the Chinese government following the Boxer outbreaks, was before the committee.

Mr. Denby said it was reported that the boycott was instigated by the Chinese minister in this country to give an incentive to treaty negotiations.

"Do you think that Mr. Wu, the former Chinese minister to the United States, had anything to do with it?" asked Senator Lodge.

"Well, I think the boycott as an effective implement must have been thought of by an intelligent Chinese official who has visited this country," replied Mr. Denby.

Mr. Denby said the first open manifestation of the boycott had been in 1904, and he then traced the movement to the present day. He said the boycott now apparently was nearly dead, but that the spirit was latent and easily could be stirred to life with great fury.

Asked concerning modifications to the exclusion laws which would be likely to allay the anti-American feeling, Mr. Denby said, that the Chinese government takes little interest in its coolie class and the concessions must be to the privileged classes. A modification of the laws excluding laborers, said Mr. Denby, would not appeal to the Chinese national pride, which is a new characteristic.

"Is this pride growing?" he was asked.

"Well it has grown so strong that it induced American financiers to part with the best railway concession in China," replied Mr. Denby.

The national pride of the Chinese was attributed by Mr. Denby to a desire to emulate the Japanese.

Suction of a Train.

The peril of standing too near to flying railroad trains was shown at Mamaroneck, Westchester county, Saturday afternoon, when Robert Coward, deputy county clerk, was caught in the suction of the Boston express on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, dragged 40 feet and instantly killed. It is not an unusual thing for persons to test the sensation of standing near a train passing at a high rate of speed. The train in this case was going at the rate of 60 miles an hour, and the displacement of air in such a case is terrific, causing a rush of it in the immediate vicinity which even strong men sometimes cannot resist. Many persons seem to think that so long as they do not get on the track they are in no danger. If they will give a little thought to the matter they will see their mistake. Moreover, there is always the possibility of something projecting from the train which will strike one standing close to the tracks. Stand back and give the air currents as well as the train right of way.—[Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 18, 1906.

MAXIM GORKY has become disgusted with the United States during the few days he has been in the country. He is convinced that the "American people are the same vulgar, spitting horde that Charles Dickens found them some fifty years ago." When Gorky landed in the United States he believed that the Americans were a fine, free people, who walked with their chests out and a consciousness of liberty, Now, after going up against the register of an American hotel, he says that personal liberty is as much hampered here as in Russia, and that his lecture tour has gone to pot. He does not much care, according to a dispatch from Paris, because all that he wants is to get out of the wretched country. But few people, it is believed, will lose any sleep over the fact that Gorky has shaken the dust of the United States from his feet. The country is already beset with troubles, and Americans have no desire to take upon themselves burdens not their own in the shape of issues brought to the birth by Russian revolutionists. Gorky says liberty is hampered in the United States as much as it is in Russia. This brings to mind an incident in connection with the Chicago riots of 1886 which resulted in the hanging of several anarchists for murdering policemen. A German, who had come to this country under false impressions, informed an acquaintance that he was about to return to the fatherland. He said he had been disappointed in the United States, as rich people were allowed to retain their property here as in the old country.

WHILE the horrors incident to the recent eruption of Mount Vesuvius were still fresh upon the minds of people throughout the civilized world the appalling news was being flashed over the globe that a seismic disturbance in San Francisco early this morning had caused the death of over two thousand persons, demolished fifty blocks of buildings and started a disastrous conflagration. The earthquake shocks have been noticed almost from the Pacific to the Atlantic. The disaster at San Francisco is one of a series of terrible convulsions of nature which have during the past few years wrought death and destruction in different parts of the world. It seems that we live in a day of wholesale calamities wrought by forces of nature.

MAXIM GORKY, the Russian socialist, revolutionist and disturber of peace generally, who came to this country to teach Americans a few things which he thought they should know, has been turned out of the New York hotels because it was discovered that the woman he was traveling with as his wife is not his wife at all. His lawful and dutiful wife with his children is in Russia, while Gorky is on a "reform" trip with an actress masquerading as his wife. He was surprised that the Americans should take notice of such a little affair as this, which he regards as entirely private and personal—something with which other people have nothing at all to do. He has received a severe jolt, however, and now realizing that his ideas of morals are at variance with those of the people of this country and that his reform-money-making tour has ended disastrously before it was fairly started he has opened his vials of wrath against the American people. Scratch a socialist revolutionist and a scamp will probably be found.

AS WILL be seen by an item in the local columns of the Gazette, Hon. J. F. Rixey, by reason of no opposition today, becomes the democratic nominee for Congress from this, the Eighth, district and his nomination will be officially declared by the democratic committee which will meet in this city on Friday. Mr. Rixey has served in Congress for ten years and has represented his constituents faithfully and well; indeed it has been many years since this district has been so well represented in the House. He is attentive to his duties, untiring in his efforts to promote the interests of his district, and with an eye always to the welfare of the country at large.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, April 18.

For nearly four hours this forenoon Washington felt the tremble of an earthquake, the most severe that has been recorded here in years, if ever before on the delicate instruments of the Weather Bureau. While registered as severe on the seismograph, the rocking was not perceptible to persons on the streets, or in the building. When the first reports of the earthquake in San Francisco were received in Washington by the Publishers' Press, the officials of the Weather Bureau at once began an inspection of the seismograph. Dr. Martin, in charge of the instrument division, said it showthe quaking of the earth since before 8 o'clock. Shortly after that hour the shock was so severe that the needle was thrown entirely off the sheet on which the record is made. The unusual tremblings continued for half an hour and gradually became less and less. By 11 o'clock the deviations of the needle was becoming rare. Owing to the fact that the seismograph had just been relocated the vibrations of the earth in an north and south direction were not recorded, the record showing only that in an east and west direction. The duration of the quaking led Dr. Martin to conclude that the origin of the earthquake is many thousands of miles away and although he was unable to examine the record while it was being recorded, was inclined to believe that the origin was far beyond San Francisco. The record which was then being made resembled very much the earthquake that occurred in January, 1906, felt here, but originating in South America. He is inclined to believe that the present shocks have no connection with the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Earthquakes, he said, are likely to attend the volcanic eruption in the immediate vicinity of the volcano, but not as such distances at this.

At 12:30 this afternoon seismographs at the Weather Bureau was still recording earthquake vibrations, but the oscillations of the needle were becoming less noticeable.

The War Department was in communication with San Francisco for about two minutes this morning shortly after the earthquake. The San Francisco operator stated that the disaster was great; that it was reported that more than 1,000 had been killed; that the dead and injured were then being taken out of the danger zone; that the water supply had been cut and that there were fears of a general conflagration. Fires had already broken out in several places.

In case the government is called upon to render aid to earthquake sufferers in San Francisco, the War Department is amply able to meet contingencies.

Californians in Washington received information from Sacramento that a heavy earthquake, severe enough to stop the clocks occurred there at 5:15 a. m. Between Suisan and Venecia three miles of railroad track sunk out of sight, taking with it the telegraph lines. The chimneys of factories and houses were torn down at Tracy.

The campaign incident to the election of a president-general of the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution in 1907 has been put in full swing at the fifteenth Continental Congress now in session here. Mrs. Donald McLean, the present occupant of that position, will seek another term, and the rumor is going the rounds that Mrs. Fairbanks, wife of the Vice-President, twice president-general, made eligible for the 2nd term by amendment to the constitution, will again seek the honor. Mrs. Fairbanks and Mrs. McLean will vie with each other today in the social side of the organization, both giving receptions. Each is invited to the other's function; neither will, in all probability, attend. The daughters were slow in taking their seats for this morning's session. State regents or vice State regents made reports and this feature is always regarded by the daughters as a trying-out contest for ambitious candidates. The tactful report of Mrs. Walter Harvey Weed, vice State regent of Montana, and the central figure in the "Montana case," in pleading the State's loyalty to its president-general and the intention of the Montana daughters to be at the Jamestown Exposition, is said to have won her many supporters in the South. So far State regents and vice-State-regents have been elected by the various delegations as follows: New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, South Carolina, Rhode Island, Maine and New Hampshire. A large part of the morning session was devoted to consideration of amendments to the constitution.

President Roosevelt this afternoon sent a message to Congress urging remedial legislation in the matter of immunity to persons questioned by the Bureau of Corporations and the Interstate Commerce Commission, and also advocating the passage of a law granting the right of appeal to the government in criminal cases wherein the defendant has not yet been actually put on trial on the merits of the case. These recommendations grow out of the recent decision of Judge Humphrey, of the Federal Court at Chicago, in the beef trust cases, whose interpretation of the will of Congress, the President declares, "comes measurably near making the law a farce."

President Roosevelt today received through Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, a letter from ex-Governor Charles D. Aycock, declining to serve as a delegate to the Pan-American Congress, which is to be held at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Gov. Aycock gives as his reason that he is engaged in important private business that he cannot leave.

President Roosevelt had a conference this morning with Frank Monnett, former Attorney General of Ohio, who represents the independent oil interests of Kansas and Indian Territory. Mr. Monnett wishes another investigation of the Standard Oil Company's operations in the territory mentioned.

The French naval attache, Commander de Famond de Lafojole, left Washington this afternoon in company with Lieutenant Edmund T. Constien, U. S. N., for Old Point, to meet the French naval squadron on its way to Annapolis to take part in the John Paul Jones celebration next Tuesday. Mr. Constien will extend the greetings of the Navy Department to the visitors. They will board the Siren at Old Point Thursday evening and meet the French ships outside the capes.

There will be long months of torture in prospect for a dozen or more railroad companies and hundreds of railroad officials and coal magnates when Chas. R. Hughes, of New York, the insurance inquisitor, and Alexander Simpson, jr., of Philadelphia, undertake their consideration of alleged violation by the coal carriers of the interstate commerce law and the Sherman anti-trust law.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, after a conference with President Roosevelt this afternoon concerning the government officials under charges at Buffalo, announced that he would suspend Fred O. Murray, collector of customs.

Secretary Metcalf of the Department of Commerce and Labor has a plan for saving the government thousands of dollars annually expended for notarial services. He has prepared a bill and forwarded it to Congress, providing that employees in the various departments be authorized to swear government officials, making oath in regard to official matters in the routine business coming up in their work. This service would be performed without compensation.

It is possible that the European trip planned by Congressman Longworth, of Ohio, and his wife, the daughter of President Roosevelt, will be postponed. It was the intention of Mr. Longworth to depart early in June. The fact that Congress will probably be in session beyond that time has already made him consider the advisability of delaying his departure. Moreover, he has received disturbing news from Cincinnati to the effect that he may have opposition for the renomination to Congress. Mr. and Mrs. Longworth will be in Cincinnati early in May to attend the May Festival, and Mr. Longworth will take a look at the condition of his fences at that time. If they are in badly delapidated condition he will remain to repair them. Mr. Longworth doesn't stand squarely on the same platform with his father-in law so far as the latest Roosevelt doctrine—that of a progressive tax on swollen fortunes—is concerned.

It is said that the appointment of B. F. Barnes as postmaster of this city will be confirmed by the Senate.

The House committee on banking and currency today authorized a favorable report on the Fowler bill "for the current deposit of public moneys." It provides that receipts from customs like other public moneys, shall be deposited with national banking associations designated for that purpose by the Secretary of the Treasury.

News of the Day.

The dormant volcano at Palmas, Canary Island, is showing signs of an eruption.

The army appropriation bill as reported to the Senate yesterday carries $71,328,144.

The United States District Court at Kansas City, Mo., yesterday denied the plea of immunity filed by railroads accused of violating the Elkins law.

A freight train ran into the rear of the New York Express on the Pennsylvania Railroad at New Florence, Pa., last night and nine passengers were injured.

The trial of Rev. Algernon S. Crapsey, accused of heresy, has been postponed for seven days because his counsel claimed he has not had time to prepare his case.

Mr. Foster, of Louisiana, spoke nearly three hours on the rate bill in the Senate yesterday and caused considerable surprise by declaring outright for a broad court review.

In the Senate yesterday Mr. Tillman read a letter from a prominent banker asserting his belief that Chairman Cortelyou and Mr. Roosevelt knew all about the contributions of banks to the republican campaign fund.

Two more deaths were reported yesterday as the result of the explosion on the battleship Kearsage last Friday. Frederick Thomas Fisher, chief gunner's mate, died Sunday night, April 15, and James S. McArdle, electrician, first class died April 16

The discovery of a cavern and a lake while blasting for a building foundation in Charlestown, W. Va., has alarmed the inhabitants of that place, who fear they may be precipitated into the cavern. It is now being explored, and is said to be of large dimensions.

Mr. John B. Smyth, foreman of the document room, government printing office, died suddenly at his residence, in Washington, Monday night. He was a native of Scotland, a member of Kemper Lodge of Masons, Falls Church, and also of Mount Vernon Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of this city.

It is not expected that Senator Gorman will be well enough to return to the Senate in time to vote on the railroad rate bill. Senator Gorman yesterday, sent for Senator Bailey, of Texas, and informed him of this fact. He told the Texas Senator, however, that he would leave the matter entirely in his hands as to how he should be paired on the bill and amendments to it. It is not believed Senator Gorman will appear in the Senate again this session. He is recovering his strength very slowly.

Five hundred men were laid off and 12 sea-going tugboats and 59 barges were taken out of service yesterday by the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company. The boats were used in the coal shipping business of the company. O. L. Hagerman, shipping and freight agent, was notified to tie up all of the vessels used in the coal traffic and to lay off all of the men who were employed in this connection. The possibility of a strike in the anthracite region is said to be responsible for the order taking the vessels out of service.

Judge G. Harry Davis, of the Common Pleas Court, one of the best known jurists in Pennsylvania, died in Philadelphia this morning. Heart disease was the cause of death.

Rev. Father Louis Martin, General of the Order of Jesuits, whose right arm was amputated for cancer, died this morning in Rome from the ravages of the disease.

Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, April 18.

SENATE

After the transaction of miscellaneous business, the Senate adjourned at 12:30 upon motion of Mr. Tillman, who announced that it might aid in reaching a solution of the railway rate question, by permitting the democratic Senators to confer.

HOUSE.

The conference report on the pension appropriation bill was agreed to in the House today. Andrew D. White, of New York, was reappointed a member of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution

Say There's Nothing to Arbitrate.

A subcommittee of presidents of the anthracite coal carrying railroads and mine operators held a meeting in New York yesterday and drew up a letter to President John Mitchell, of the United Mineworkers of America, in which the operators again declare that there is nothing to arbitrate except the question whether there shall be any arbitration. This reply is made in response to President Mitchell's recent amended proposition of arbitration. The operators do not, however, refuse pointblank to accept Mr. Mitchell's latest plan. They assert that all the differences between the miners and their employers have been decided by the strike commission, and that there is no reason why another attempt should be made to arbitrate them. After describing the previous steps of the two sides and commenting upon the plans suggested by the miners, the operators aver that the miners have rejected all the propositions, and that they have nothing further to offer.

"The fundamental principles regarding the conduct of this business have all been established by the strike commission," the operators declare. "No reason is suggested why they should be retried. We have no further suggestions to make than those contained in our former propositions and we regret that you have declined both of them. We have nothing further to offer."

The operators assert also that the miners offer to waive formal recognition of the miners' union is not material, and declare that the miners' programme would increase the cost of domestic sizes of coal $1.20 per ton.

Virginia News.

Edward G. Hollis, clerk of the Winchester Common Councils and deputy clerk of the Circuit Court, was paralyzed at his home Monday night and is now seriously ill.

Mrs. Courtney W. Selden, widow of Robert Selden, died Sunday at her home, Sherwood, Gloucester county, aged 91 years. She is survived by one son and three daughters.

A new bank known as the Farmers and Mechanics' Bank, with a capital stock of $100,000 will be established in Fredericksburg in the near future. M. G. Willis of that city will be president.

Dr. Alex. C. Fitzpatrick, for many years a prominent physician; seven or eight times a member of the House of Delegates, and a popular and prominent citizen, died at his home in Nelson county, Saturday night. He was about seventy-five years of age.

Mr. Joseph Button, recently elected Commissioner of Insurance of Virginia, has tendered his resignation to Governor Swanson as clerk of the Senate and it has been accepted. The Governor will appointed Mr. T. A. Lynch, of Tazewell, to serve out Colonel Button's unexpired term.

The Board of Governors of the Masonic Home of Virginia held their April meeting in the Masonic Temple in Richmond, Monday. Much business was transacted. Mrs. H. M. Barbour was unanimously elected superintendent for the ensuing year. Mrs. Barbour has managed the Home in a very satisfactory manner for over five years.

Four men were wounded, one of them seriously, in a shooting affray, yesterday morning, following a dispute about the ownership of some land about twelve miles from Gate City. William Carter, his two sons, and his son-in-law went to the land to take possession. They were resisted by Jeremiah McMurray and several friends, who opened fire on the Carters, seriously wounding William Carter. The Carters returned the fire, wounding three men. Carter has been a magistrate and supervisor in his district.

Messrs. Davis & Davis, Washington patent attorneys, report the grant, this week, to citizens of this State, of the following patents: Joel A. Coppridge and T. B. Stultz, of Roanoke, hot-water heater; George P. Craighill and G. A. Kerr, of Lynchburg, treating wood for the production of paper pulp, terpenes, and resinous substances; Samuel J. Grubb, of Dooley, tie-plate or seat for railway-rails; John C. Smith, of Lynchburg, hangman's scaffold and William M. Taylor, of Mecklenburg, auxiliary rudder.

The Corporation Commission assembled in Richmond yesterday to hear argument on the classification of railroad freight rates. By request of the two score or more of lawyers representing the railroads, the railroads were allowed until May 15 to make supplemental replies to the schedules furnished by the commission, and the hearing was postponed until June 5. An effort was made by the railroad representatives to have the two cent rate bill heard at the same time, but the commission held that the freight rate bill was a mature subject and the two-cent rate a new question, and they could not consider them together.

Royal Arcanum.

The twenty-fourth session of the Grand Council, Royal Arcanum, began in Richmond yesterday. The meeting was called to order by Dr. W. H. Ewald, of Portsmouth, grand regent. All the officers were present and about 150 members. The annual reports show a sound state of health and activity.

The election of officers resulted as follows: First Supreme Representative, Rev. F. T. McFaden, of Richmond; Second Supreme Representative, A. T. Lincoln, of Marion; First Alternate, Dr W. H. Ewald, of Portsmouth; Second Alternate, R. W. Arnold, of Alexandria; Grand Regent, W. M. Bickers, of Richmond; Grand Vice-Regent, H. E. Avery, of Norfolk; Past Grand Regent, Dr. W. H. Ewald, of Portsmouth; Grand Secretary, J. B. Blanks, of Petersburg; Grand Treasurer, A B. Botts, of Fredericksburg; Grand Chaplain, W. T. Dabney, of Richmond; Grand Guide, James McCready, of Roanoke; Grand Warden, Minitree Folkes, of Richmond; Grand Sentry, Harry Kemp, of Richmond; Grand Trustee, for three years, H. Hodges, of Norfolk; member of executive committee, J. T. O'Connor, of Portsmouth; member of committee on laws, J. Frank Garber, of Staunton; member of committee on finance, H. A. Allen, of Lynchburg. The officers were installed at this morning's session by Supreme Past Regent W. Holt Apgar, of New Jersey.

Land Sales.

The Samuel Coleman farm, near Herndon, has been purchased by Mrs. E. L. Woodson, of Indian Territory. This place was once a rendezvous of Broddock's army en route to Fort Duquesne.

The heirs of the late Gen. McKee Dunn have sold a tract of 3,168 acres, near Herndon, to the Fairfax lumber company.

R. H. Thayer, of Loudoun county, has purchased the Smith estate, in lower Loudoun.

Virginia Militia.

Major Edward Chynoweth, Seventeenth infantry, United States army, completed his inspections of the Virginia volunteers at Fredericksburg on April 16, on which date he inspected Company L, Seventieth infantry.

Major Chynoweth expressed himself as pleased with the showing made by the Virginia militia, and the efforts which a number of the commanding officers are making toward raising their commands to a high state of excellence.

Jr. O. U. A. M.

The State convention of the Junior Order United American Mechanics opened in Richmond yesterday. Councilor Eugene Colver, of Berkley, presided. Vice-Councillor J. W. Jones, of Vienna, and Past Councilor J. C. Jewell, of Richmond, were present, and 100 delegates. Reports show that the order is in a prosperous condition.

Last night the local councils gave a banquet to the visitors.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer.

Fewer gallons; takes less of Devoe Lead and Zinc than mixed paints. Wears longer; twice as long as lead and oil.

Earthquake in San Francisco

Three Thousand Persons Killed—Fifty Blocks of Business Houses Destroyed—Fire Adding to the Horrors Incident to the Convulsion—Water Works Ruined—Blowing Up Buildings to Prevent Spread of Fire.

San Francisco, April 18.—An earthquake this morning wrecked the Hobart building in which is located the offices of the Postal Telegraph Company and the Northern Pacific Railway Company.

The earthquake was a disastrous one. Many people are reported killed, houses wrecked and fired. There is no water.

At 5:50 a. m. frequent shocks were felt after the first severe quake. At that time the postal employes had to flee from the building. Great loss of life is feared.

That portion of San Francisco in which the Postal Telegraph building is located is the principal business section of the city.

The great Call (newspaper) building, a sky scraper, is a stone's throw away, and so is the high Chronicle building. The district is the line between the wholesale business section and includes practically the largest blocks of the city. The Page-Ferry railway bridge is less than half a mile away. The beautiful public fountain on Market street, given to the city by the actress Lotta, is a close neighbor of the Postal building. But two or three blocks away is Union Square in which is located the great Dewey monument commemorating the battle of Manila. The limits of Chinatown are but a half mile away. Big Frisco buildings and streets were practically deserted of people as early as six o'clock in the morning. Business does not begin until about nine o'clock, and it was after eight o'clock before the streets became at all business looking.

The mint and new postoffice and the magnificent City Hall are nearly a dozen blocks distant from the postal building. At 6:30 o'clock the earthquakes were still being felt.

San Francisco, April 18.—Through a break in the coast range the San Francisco river flows through to the Great bay inside the Golden Gate. San Francisco lies at the river's mouth. The city was reclaimed from a desert of hills and wet sand. Big hotels stand today where fishing was good in the 50's. Most of the houses in the residence district are wood and insurance men look askance when asked to guarantee the residents against fire loss. But business men rely on a splendid fire department, and built some of the finest office buildings in the world. As a whole, the city is not especially well built. A large proportion of the inhabitants are foreigners.

San Francisco has a $6,000,000 city hall; one hotel with 1,400 rooms, theatres open throughout the year; a public library of 120,000 volumes; a public bath accomdating 2,000; and a population of 360,000.

The postal office was damaged, but not seriously. None of the occupants were killed, but many were injured and killed in the city. The water mains burst, and the fire department was helpless. Now blowing up buildings.

San Francisco, April 18.—An early estimate places the loss of life at over 1,100.

At 7 o'clock the work of rescue was under way, but in an unorganized manner, owing to the panic. Dead were being carried from the buildings in scores.

The Postal Telegraph Company is advised that an area covered by the earthquake is about fifty blocks in which the buildings have been almost totally destroyed. The greatest damage was done east and south of Market street, to the bay. The city hall, costing $7,000,000, is in ruins. This section is devoted largely to manufacturing enterprises. The principal banking institutions are located in a quarter of the city which has not been seriously affected. According to advices received, the loss of life is now not yet known, although it is believed that it will be quite large.

Fire started in the ruined section and is spreading. Water mains supplying that district have been destroyed, and buildings in the adjoining sections are now being dynamited to prevent the spread of the flames.

The Western Union Telegraph Company is in receipt of the following message from Sacramento: "We had a heavy earthquake at 5:15 a. m. All the clocks stopped at that hour. There are three miles of railroad bed sunk out of sight between Suisnan and Benetia, and all telegraph wires were taken with it. At Pleasanton several railroad cars were turned over on the main line, blocking the tracks. At Tracy all of the chimneys were torn down."

Another Western Union dispatch from Sacramento reads: "Sacramento had trouble. A big fire is raging in Berkeley, a suburb of Oakland, and it is thought the town is on fire."

Denver, Col., April 18.—Information has been received that the fire at San Francisco is reaching beyond the big Pacific Hotel.

New Orleans, April 18.—A Southern Pacific Railway wire message says at 10 o'clock a number of fires have started in San Francisco and as the waterworks cannot be operated, there was danger of the entire city being burned, as the wind is blowing severely. Dead and injured were being removed as fast as possible, but the panic is so great that but little headway is being made. It is impossible to tell the extent of the loss of life, but it is believed to be very great. The most danger now seems to be from fire.

Cleveland, O., April 18.—A dispatch from San Francisco to the local office of H. O. Brown & Co., brokers, at 8:30 a. m., said:

"An earthquake this morning wrecked the Hobart building in which is located the offices of the Postal Telegraph Company and the Southern Pacific Railroad Company. The earthquake was a disastrous one. Many people are reported killed. Houses have been wrecked and fired. There is no water. At 5:55 frequent shocks were felt after the first earthquake. At that time the postal employes had to flee from the building. A special wire from New York to A. O. Brown & Co., at 8:45 a. m., said the entire business district of San Francisco was destroyed by the earthquake."

Ash Fork, Arizona, April 18.—Reports of the earthquake shock at San Francisco received here say that the first rumble was heard at 5:10 o'clock. Buildings toppled and fell in every direction. The police patrol is carrying the dead from the buildings. Fire broke out in the wholesale house district, the water front, and other localities, with no water to fight it.

Chicago, April 18.—First telegraphic communication with San Francisco was established by the Publishers Press Association before 10 o'clock this morning. A dispatch from the San Francisco correspondent says:

The most severe earthquake in the history of the city occurred at 5:13 this morning. Scores of buildings were ruined. The Lock House was wrecked and other hotels were damaged. Reports tell of great loss of life, but details are unobtainable on account of the great confusion among the people who search through the debris in the hope of finding missing friends. Wires are down in all directions. Flames broke out in the ruins and are now raging in a dozen sections. Fire engine houses were damaged. Engines that escaped are of little use because water is lacking. The city is at the mercy of the conflagration. Dynamite is being used in blowing up buildings to stop the spread of the flames. The city hall was badly wrecked. The people are panic stricken and crowd the streets.

New York, April 18.—The Rock Island Railroad Company has received the following message from its Chicago offices, time 11:45 a. m.:

"San Francisco is being wiped out by continuous quakes and flames. Fire is working towards the docks unmolested. Water works are out of commission. Estimated dead, 1,100."

A dispatch from San Jose says that the whole city of San Francisco is being entirely wiped out by fire. From the highest elevation fires can be seen in every direction.

Portland, Oregon, April 18.—The Pacific States Telegraph and Telephone reports that its main exchange on Bush street, San Francisco, is in flames. It adjoins the Mills building. An explosion blew the top off the telephone building. It is doomed, as there is no water supply on account of the cracked mains. Many lives are reported lost. The Mills building is in danger. Many fires in different sections of the city are reported.

Cincinnati, April 18.—The following bulletin was received by the Western Union, here at 11:45 this morning:

"San Francisco, April 18.—The fire is beyond control. It is now destroying Market street and has reached the Palace Hotel. Both the Western Union and Postal Building are completely destroyed. The loss of life is now estimated at 2,000."

Los Angeles, Cala., April 18.—San Francisco and this city report loss from shock and results of the fire will reach into millions. A hundred buildings are burning in the section razed by the shock. The streets are filled with debris. Fire which started in the business section now is being fought with dynamite, but there is little progress in checking the flames. Nobody was injured here.

Los Angeles, Cal., April, 18.—The business section of San Francisco is in ruins and a fearful holocaust is raging, the result of a terrific earthquake at 5:15 o'clock this morning. Thousands of persons are probably dead. Three hundred bodies have been taken into Mechanics' Pavilion which had been transformed into a morgue and more bodies are arriving every minute. The quake shattered the water mains, and the fire department is unable to combat the flames. Fires are burning in a dozen places. The utter ruin of the business section is inevitable. It is fearful catastrophe. The fire is nearing the Palace Hotel, at this hour, seven o'clock.

From Montgomery street east to the water front the city is in flames. Three hundred bodies have been taken from the ruins.

Sacramento, Cala., April 18.—The strongest quake in fifteen years occurred here at 5:15 o'clock this morning. The vibrations were northeast, and southwest last three minutes. They awoke the entire city and caused a panic in the hotels.

San Francisco, April 18.—The last shock was felt at 8:15. The ferries are all engaged carrying people to Oakland, and other points of safety. The people are fleeing from the city by thousands. In the panic many dropped dead in the streets.

San Francisco, April 18.—A second shock followed the one of early this morning, about three hours later. It toppled over many buildings that still stood. Fire chief Sullivan and Policeman Frenter were killed beneath the ruins. Thieves are already ransacking the ruins and soldiers are being rushed from the Presidio.

In Mission street hundreds of dead have been found in the ruins of cheap lodging houses. Flames drive away the police, firemen and volunteers before bodies can be reached. Even the cries of injured are heard, but frequently they cry in vain, and torture awaits them, as approaching tongues of hungry flames drive rescuers back to save their own lives.

Berkeley is reported to be destroyed. It is the swell suburb and residence section across the bay. Millionaires by the score have their homes there. San Francisco is a ball of fire.

New York, April 18.—Western Union advices from San Francisco, received here at 1:10 p. m., states that the damage in Berkeley, Oakland, and other places in the vicinity of San Francisco, is severe, but it is not thought that many lives were lost on that side of the bay. Railroad trains are running, but slowly, because of no train wire service. The ground below Kearney street sank about four feet. In Valencia street the ground sank nearly ten feet in places. A similar conditions exists in the Chinese district.

Fort Worth, Tex., April 18.—At 10:30 o'clock information reached this city that so far, 700 dead bodies have been recovered from the ruins of collapsed buildings in San Francisco and the property loss will reach $30,000,000. From all information obtainable the cities of San Francisco and Sacramento are the chief sufferers although the force of the seismic disturbances was felt over considerable area. Later information received says that many buildings have collapsed and the dead and injured are being reached as fast as possible.

Dallas, Tex., April 18.—A Postal Telegraph bulletin just received says that the loss of life in San Francisco is now estimated at 3,000. The city looks, from a point of view, where the telegraph wires are located, to be a seething mass of flame. The fire territory is more than two miles square and one solid body, and other fires are scattered over the city.

Nothing will relieve indigestion that is not a thorough digestant. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and allows the stomach to rest—recuperate—grow strong again. A few doses of Kodol after meals will soon restore the stomach and digestive organs to a full performance of their functions naturally. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Blood Poisoning

results from chronic constipation, which is quickly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills. They remove all poisonous germs from the system and infuse new life and vigor; cure sour stomach, nausea, headache, dizziness and colic, without griping or discomfort. 25c. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

Congressman Blackburn's Trial.

Greensboro, N. C., April 18.—The demurrer in the case of Congressman Blackburn, charged with accepting fees for practicing before the government departments while a Congressman, was overruled by Judge Goff, and the defendant placed on trial this morning. Mr. Blackburn entered a plea of not guilty to the five consolidated indictments found against him. A jury was soon secured. The line of the defense will be that the Congressman never accepted fees except for appearing in the courts. The trial promises to be a lengthy one.

Plot Against Sultan.

Geneva, Switzerland, April 18.—The Turkish consul here has warned the authorities that he has discovered a plot against the life of the Sultan, which had been hatched by the Central organization of young Turks here and high officials who recently arrived from Constantinople. The alleged plotters to "remove" the Sultan deny the statement made by the Turkish Consul, and declare that it was made to get them expelled from Swiss territory.

New York Stock Market.

New York, April 18.—The calamity in San Francisco was the solid factor in influencing the trading during the greater part of the first hour. All houses with western connections were heavy sellers of stocks at and since the opening. Under the combined pressure from many sources prices opened lower all around. In the later trading the coal investigation, a firmer tone to time money, and renewed labor troubles were used as bear orders after the San Francisco disaster had exerted its influence.

Disorder in France.

There was a renewal yesterday of the disturbances consequent on the strike of miners in the Pas de Calais district of France. The wife of a miner who had refused to strike was attacked in her home by 150 women, the wives of strikers, her clothing torn off, and her furniture wrecked. Gendarmes who interfered to stop the riot were stoned by the women, and cavalry ordered to assist the gendarmes were similarly resisted.

A cavalry officer and two soldiers were severely injured and fifteen others received minor wounds. Several women were arrested, but they subsequently were released. The general prefect was received with shouts of "long live revolution!"

Rioting was resumed last night. The local authorities are calling urgently for re-enforcements.

Endeavors were made at Lens yesterday morning to prevent non-strikers from descending to the mines, and at Montigny an attempt was made to blow up a church with dynamite. Serious damage was done and a number of arrests were made.

Holstein Resigns.

By direction of Emperor William, Foreign Secretary Tchirsky, yesterday accepted the resignation of Baron von Holstein, chief of the department of higher politics in the foreign office of Germany. This action retires from public life a personage who more than any other has been responsible for German foreign affairs since Prince Bismarck's time. For sixteen years Baron von Holstein has thought out the policy and drawn up the instructions to Ambassadors, and he has been recognized by the diplomacy of Europe as the man whose counsel was in the ascendant at the foreign office under all of Prince Bismarck's successors. When Prince von Buelow assumed the chancellorship he offered Baron von Holstein the foreign secretaryship, but the latter declined the office because parliamentary and social activity was distasteful to him. The cause of his retirement is that he found himself unable to work in harmony with Foreign Secretary Tchirsky. Baron von Holstein was an attache of the German embassy in Washington at the close of the civil war.

Richards's Trial.

The trial of John W. Richards, the Floyd county teacher charged with the murder of Maurice Francis, of Roanoke, in July last, began in earnest yesterday afternoon.

The attorneys for the defense fought for a continuance, mainly on account of absent witnesses, but Judge Moffett issued rules for those who did not answer their summons, and a telephone message from Roanoke settled the question.

The first witness was James M. Conner, who found Francis in his buggy, with the shafts broken and the horse gone. He was badly mutilated about the head and face, and his right eye was shot out. Francis was unconscious and he removed him to the residence of W. Kropff. He afterward regained consciousness, and when the witness asked him who had shot him he replied: "Jealousy is an awful thing—Richards."

Court adjourned with the witness still on the stand. More than 200 witnesses are in attendance.

Supreme Court Justice Greenbaum, of New York, this morning handed down a decision in which he dismissed the writ of habeas corpus in the case of George W. Perkins, who in his capacity as vice president of the New York Life Insurance Company, contributed about $50,000 to the national republican campaign committee in 1904. The justice remanded the defendant.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride, No. 417 south St. Asaph street, on Wednesday morning, April 18, by Rev. Father Bowden, Mr. WILLIAM RAMEY and Miss VERONICA DOBSON.

Alexandria Gazette

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:19 a. m. and sets at 6:41 p. m. High water at 4:24 a. m. and 4:58 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair night and Thursday; light variable winds, becoming southerly.

Weddings.

The wedding of Miss Nannie Graham Hume and Lieut. Henry C. Jewett will take place at the Pro-Cathedral Church of the Ascension in Washington, at 5 o'clock this evening, and will be followed by a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hume, before the departure of the bride and groom for their honeymoon journey. The bride's attendants will be Miss Emma Hume, as maid of honor, and Miss Mabel Hume and Miss Elizabeth Peters, of Cincinnati, Miss Grace Hanna, of Cleveland, Miss Irene Moore, Miss Ruth Halford and Miss Pauline Magruder as bridesmaids. Mr. Josiah Jewett, jr., of Buffalo, will be best man. Lieut. Dent, Lieut. U. S. Grant, 3d; Lieut. Adams, Lieut. Hudson Poole, Capt. Clark Smith and Capt. Adams will be ushers. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Clement Brown and Rev. Thomas Worthington Cooke, of Dayton, Ky., brother-in-law of the bride. Lieut. Jewett has been recently ordered to Boston, and will take his bride there. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hume entertained the bridal party at dinner yesterday evening. This company included both bridesmaids and ushers, maid of honor and best man, and this function took the place of the customary bridesmaid's luncheon and bachelor's dinner. Miss Ruth Halford, daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Halford, entertained at luncheon yesterday in honor of Miss Hume and her bridesmaids and maid of honor, Miss Halford being one of the party.

The marriage of Miss Martha Townsend Brockett and Mr. Theodore Irving Coe, of New Rochelle, N. Y., took place this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence of the cousin of the bride, Mr. Albert D. Brockett, No. 318 north Washington street. The bride was attended by Miss Collins Jones, of Alexandria, and Miss Catharine King, of Germantown, Pa., as flower girls, and the best man was Mr Edwin C. French, of New Orleans, and Master Clarence Boice Nourse was ring bearer. Rev. James M. Nourse officiated. The bride was escorted to the altar by her cousin, Mr. Albert D. Brockett, who gave her in marriage. The parlors were beautifully decorated for the occasion and the wedding was attended by many friends of the bride and groom. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Coe left for a wedding trip, taking with them the best wishes of a host of friends. They will make their home in New Rochelle, N. Y.

Mr. William Ramey and Miss Veronica Dobson were quietly married at the bride's home, No. 417 south St Asaph street, at 10 o'clock this morning by Rev. Father Bowden, of St. Mary's Church. The bride was becomingly gowned in white. Mr. and Mrs. Ramey left this evening on the 4:18 o'clock train for a trip to the south and will be at home to their friends May the first at the bride's former home.

Fishery Still Lagging.

The fishery of 1906 is still slow and unsatisfactory. Receipts continue meagre and prices remain firm. Some shad, however, are being caught by gillers near Alexandria, Mr. George Windsor, jr., having taken 21 yesterday near Jones's Point, other gillers also reporting some results from their labors. Shad were selling this morning at from 20 to 30 cents for melt and 50 and 60 cents for roe. Herring were quoted at 15 cents a dozen There seems to be an abundant supply of rockfish, black bass and fine white perch, although prices vary but little. They bring 12½ cents a pound.

Affairs at Fishtown this morning were quiet. Receipts had again fallen off, and no vessels were in sight.

The water in the Potomac for a long distance is still muddy, although the weather is mild, fair and spring like. It is believed that when the water shall have become clear fish will become plentiful.

The big haul seine at Chapman's Point, a short distance above Glymont, was dipped for the first time Saturday last.

The fishing outfit at the Joe Tank fishing shore, which was operated by the late Frank Price of this city, who died about six weeks ago, has been brought up to this city.

Opera House.

The Jolly Bonnie Vance Company continues to please fair-sized audiences at the Opera House, the company last night presenting "All a Mistake," a comedy in three scenes The play contained a great many ludicrous situations, and was heartily enjoyed by those present. The specialties were changed and were deserving of much praise, especially the singing and dancing of the Creighton Sisters. The company will present tonight "Our Busy Day," a farce comedy of unusual merit. New specialties will be introduced and new songs sung. While a good number of people attend the show, the crowd should be larger, as the company deserves it. The music rendered by the orchestra is the best obtainable and last night the pieces rendered were heartily encored.

The New Bridge.

The iron work of the new overhead bridge a short distance this side of St. Asaph Junction has been completed for some time. The railroad company, however, for some reason, has not as yet laid the flooring. Vehicles, in consequence, are still compelled to pass through the new union yards in order to reach the Washington road after passing a point opposite what was at one time known as Poor House lane. When the new bridge shall have been opened, all grade crossings will be obliterated, and the danger of vehicles being struck by trains abolished. It is said by people living in the county that the structure is not satisfactory to the railway company. An attempt to dynamite it, was made not long ago.

Foot Mashed.

Thomas Johnson, a brakeman on the R. F. & P. R. R., had his foot seriously injured by being caught between the bumpers of freight cars at Waterloo early this morning. He was brought to this city and placed in the Alexandria Hospital where he was attended by Dr. Smith.

Personal.

Mrs. Du Pont Lee, of Baltimore, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Constance C Lee, to Senor Don Luis Pastor, first secretary of the Spanish Legation and at present charge d'affaires. Miss Lee is originally of Virginia. She made her debut three years ago in Baltimore, and has since been an acknowledged belle of the Monumental City. Miss Lee was educated abroad, and among other accomplishments speaks several languages fluently.

Dr. Hamilton Howard, now of Bredford City, spent Monday with friends in Alexandria, where he formerly resided.

Mrs. Hunter McGuire, of Richmond, announces the engagement of her daughter, Margaret Cameron, to Mr. Arthur Gordon, of Savannah, Georgia, a son of the late Gen. John B. Gordon. Miss McGuire is a sister of Dr. Hugh McGuire of this city. The wedding is to take place in June.

Miss Mary Custis Lee arrived in the city several days ago and is stopping at the Jefferson Hotel. She will receive with the board of lady managers in the Home for Needy Confederate Women from three to five o'clock this afternoon. —[Richmond News Leader.

Miss Ethel Larmond has returned from Orange county, Va., where she has been a guest at Miss Kate Collins' house party.

Mrs. Jane Beach, an old and well-known resident of the southeastern section of the city, is seriously ill.

At a meeting of the Reliance Fire Company last night, Rev. Father R. L. Carne was elected a life member of the company. Father Carne was for many years an active fireman of this city.

A Surprise Party.

A surprise party was given to Mrs. Albert Dreifus at her home on Commerce street, last evening. Mrs. Dreifus leaves Sunday for New York, thence to Europe to visit her old home, and expects to be gone four months. Those present from Washington were, Mr. and Mrs. B. Einstein, Mr. and Mrs. S. Einstein, Mr. M. Ullman and Miss Minnie Ullman, Mrs. H. Baum, Mrs. H. Haas and Miss Ida Haas, Mr. S. Lawrence and Mrs. S. Dreifus. Those from Alexandria were: Mr. and Mrs. B. Weil, Mr. and Mrs. M. Jaffa, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. M. Morris, Mrs. H. Bloch, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dreifus, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moore, Mrs. Robert Cox, Mrs. J. Cox, Mrs. E. Atwell, Mrs. N. Wollberg, Mrs. J. Bernheimer, Mr. Sydney Wollberg, Mr. Jonah Bernheimer and Mr. Louis Dreifus.

Police Commissioners.

There was another meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners last night. Mayor Paff presided, and Commissioners Fisher and Oehlert were present, as was also Commonwealth's Attorney Brent. The investigation of allegations against certain members of the police force was continued. Several witnesses were examined and additional evidence secured. There will be another meeting tonight.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Edgar Paine, arrested by Officer Garvey charged with trespass, was dismissed.

John Johnson, colored, arrested by Officers Young and Roberts charged with disorderly conduct and throwing missiles in the street, had his case continued.

Funeral.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Rosa Crilly took place this morning from St. Mary's Church, and was attended by numbers of relatives and friends of the deceased. The services were conducted by Rev. Fathers Cavanaugh and Patrick, and the pallbearers were Messrs. J. T. Sweeney, James Callan, M. B. Harlow, T. J. Fannon, T. McGowan and E. E. Lawler.

Mr. Rixey the Nominee.

Under the plan adopted by the democratic committee for this, the Eighth, Congressional district, this is the last day given candidates to present their names to the committee, and only Mr. J. F. Rixey having complied with the rule, he becomes the nominee and will be so declared at the meeting of the committee to be held in this city on Friday.

Barge Ashore.

The tugboat Radiant, owned by the Standard Oil Company, towing barges Nos. 52 and 77 from Baltimore, bound for Washington, and Alexandria, got ashore at 5 a. m., yesterday at the mouth of Rock Creek. The tug succeeded in floating barge No. 77 and returned with the barge to Baltimore. Barge No. 52 is still ashore. Both barges are loaded with naptha.

Grace Church Vestrymen.

The following gentlemen were on Easter Monday elected vestrymen of Grace Church for the ensuing year: Charles King, C. N. Moore, Wm. H. McCuen, Frank T. King, Chas. J. Deahl, C. O. Pulman, C. A. Shaffer, D. E. Webster, G. W. Hulfish, S. M. Pulman, W. L. Martin and Harry S. Brown.

W. C. T. U.

The regular business meeting of the Allison W. C. T. U. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Children's Home on Duke street.

The regular weekly prayer meeting will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow night, at the Children's Home, on Duke street.

Death of Former Resident.

Mrs. N. M. Belford, formerly Miss Gertrude Massey, died at her residence, Bayonne, N. J., on March 22. Interment was at Mauch Chunk, Pa. Mrs. Belford was the daughter of the late Wm. D. and Mary E. Massey of this city. She is survived by her husband and two daughters.

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New Library For Alexandria.

A Branch of The Educational Extension is Being Established at B. B. Smith's Store, 505 King Street.

Alexandria is to have a new library, one which will adequately supply the demands of our book lovers. The Educational Extension people are placing a branch of their library with B. B. Smith, at 505 King street. This library will consist of the latest current literature only, books that usually sell at $1.50 per copy, and there is now on display in the window of Mr. Smith's store a large number of the latest books the market affords, which will demonstrate the character of the library and the fact that it is up-to-date. The books entering into this library are mostly this year's publications and in no event will any book back of 1905 copyright be incorporated, the object being to put in the new books as published rather than the old, thus keeping the library up-to-date all the time. One commendiable feature of this organization is the duplicating of books according to size of membership and popularity of books, thus enabling one to procure the book desired while it is new. This obviates the most objectionable phase of public libraries, i. e.: The necessity of waiting indefinitely before one can secure the book and until one has lost interest in it.

The plan upon which these libraries are established and maintained is by sale of certificates of membership. the regular rate charged is $3.65 per year, but owing to this being the first organization of this company in Alexandria, they propose to sell the first 50 certificates as an introductory proposition, at one-half rate, $3.65 for two years reading and the selection of any one $1.50 book as a present at end of that time without further cost of any kind or character. This means one-half cent per day for all you can read and one book to keep. This is not a circulating library, but remains here permanently. All books placed in it come direct from the press.

Investigate this proposition, it's worth the while. Look at the display of books, they tell the story.

Public Notice.

We hereby give notice that we shall act as librarians for The Educational Extension Library in this city during the coming two years, and the books will be kept in our store where members may procure them at any time the store is open.

B. B SMITH,
505 King street.

Fight in a Millinery Store.

The Yorkville, N. Y., Police Court was occupied yesterday morning with the hearing of the case of Mrs. Dina Glass, wife of a physician, against Tillie Meyer, a saleswoman in the millinery store of the Countess Marie de Louise, whom the complainant accused of pulling her hair and otherwise assaulting her. Mrs. Glass said she ordered a new hat from the countess, and that the hat wasn't finish in time for Easter.

On Monday she went to the millinery store and tried the hat on for a final fitting. Nothing about it suited her, and Mrs. Glass wasn't slow about saying so.

Tillie, it seems, had expended her best efforts on the hat. The physician's wife's words hurt her fellings. She replied that the reason Mrs Glass didn't like the hat was because she didn't know an artistic one when she saw it. That hurt the customer's feelings, and hot words followed, which finally led to blows, it is alleged.

Mrs. Glass says Tillie pulled her hair in the most approved fashion and slapped her face and otherwise abused her. She screamed lustily and her good spouse ran across the street to find his wife in the hands of Amazon Tillie. Then he took a hand—at least Tillie alleges that he slapped her. The customers ran out screaming.

Tillie was held in the sum of $500 for her appearance at a future hearing.

A Morphine Fiend.

Dr. J. B. Mathews, of Greensboro, N. C., who is out on bond of $5,000 pending an appeal to the Supreme Court of North Carolina against a sentence of 20 years for the murder of his wife by strychnine hyperdermically administered is on a visit to his sister, Mrs. J. N. Gorman, of Manchester, Va.

Dr. Mathews is now free of the terrible vice of morphine, under the influence of which he killed his wife, and, in discussing his case, declared he had no recollection of what occurred from Thanksgiving Day until January 3, 43 days, and can recall nothing that was said or done. Dr. Mathews has not taken morphine for four weeks. In a few days he will be taken to Mount Hope Retreat, near Baltimore, until his restoration is complete.

Dr. Mathews says a friend, who was a morphine fiend, came to him in the jail at Greensboro last week and offered him 100 grains of morphine, but that he refused it and asked the jailer not to let him come again. Dr. Mathews has fallen away from 187 to 113 pounds. Dr. Mathews said: "I have done no wrong, broken no law and have always been a law-abiding citizen. I have been a victim of circumstances over which I had no knowledge or control." Dr. Mathews' physician is depending on Dr. Mathews' will power, of which he has a great deal to wrest him from the awful habit to which he was addicted.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mrs. Maggie J. Burnett has sold to Mrs. Julia V. Nalls a house and lot on the north side of Gibbon street, between Alfred and Patrick.

Smallpox is said to be raging in the "Smoketown" neighborhood, near Occoquan, in Prince William county.

Eliza Jackson, colored, recently adjudged insane, has been sent to the asylum near Petersburg.

Owing to our business in Washington we will discontinue our stall in the Alexandria market, but will receive orders at our green houses and by phone, which will receive immediate attention and prompt delivery. Cut flowers fresh from plant to customer. C. A. Shaffer & Co., Florists, Bell phone 176. 2t

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FATS	trace	—	11.	2.6	3.6	0.2	0.5	1.6
MINERAL MATTER	0.2	0.6	1.4		5.1	0.7	0.7	2.3
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AUCTION SALE.

I will, as administrator of the estate of Frank Price, deceased, on
SATURDAY,
the 28th day of April, 1906,
at 10 o'clock a. m., sell at public auction at the front door of the Court House on north Fairfax street, the following described personal property, to-wit:

1 lamp, 1 force pump, 1 chain fall, 100 tin cups, 1 box miscellaneous, rifle and miscellaneous, pot of junk, lot furniture, 2 scythes and handles, 1 plow, 5 light boxes, 2 screen doors, 1 box and table, 1 horse.

And immediately after the sale of the above property I will sell at public auction in front of the Osage Manufacturing Company, on the southeast corner of Wolfe and Union streets, the following described personal property, to-wit:

575 fathoms of seine rigged, 100 fathoms of seine not rigged, 5½ coils of rope, 3 stoves, 3 capstans, tar rigger and pot, 3 capstan rims, tackling, 1 boat (lookout), 1 boat (lookout), 1 scow, 16-oar seine boat, 14-foot seine boat.

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Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 18, 1906.

Suspected Murder.

A dispatch from Roanoke, Va., says that it developed at Bluefield last night that the young woman being held at that place for the murder of her mother, Mrs. Mary Mytinger, who died under suspicious circumstances last Saturday and in whose stomach was found a large quantity of morphine, is not the wife of Alfred Burger, as both she and Burger had previously claimed.

The woman claims she is from Baltimore, but her right name is not known. Mrs. Mytinger and her daughter and Burger, the latter being a tailor, moved to Bluefield a month ago from Washington, D. C. The old lady died last Saturday. The body was exhumed Sunday, and on the following day the daughter was arrested, charged with having killed her mother, the coroner's jury having returned a verdict that Mrs. Mytinger came to her death "from morphine or other poisoning administered by Mrs. Mary W. Burger.

Yesterday evening the chief of police at Bluefield received a letter from Washington stating that Burger has a wife and one child living in the capital city, and it instructed the authorities to hold Burger on a charge of bigamy. Burger was arrested and admits having a legal wife in Washington. He will be given a hearing on a charge of assisting in the murder of Mrs. Mytinger.

It is said that Mrs. Mytinger's husband died in Baltimore six months ago, and that indications pointed to death from poison. He carried $700 insurance and owned 30 acres of land in the District of Columbia, which at his death went to his widow. It is alleged that since going to Bluefield her daughter, who claimed to be Burger's wife, had often told friends she would inherit her mother's money and estate at her death. It is also alleged that she often slapped her mother's face and kept her confined in her room, and that when told her mother was in poor health answered that there ought to be a law permitting the killing of people of the age of her mother.

Dowie's Ultimatum.

All negotiations looking to a peaceful settlement of the question as to who shall control Zion City and its vast resources were broken off yesterday.

John Alexander Dowie, through his attorneys, Emil C. Wetten and P. C. Haley, threw down the gauntlet to General Overseer Wilbur Glenn Voliva and his followers when a proposition advanced by Voliva to the effect that the $21,000,000 estate be turned over to a board of control was rejected by Dowie. According to the provisions of this proposition, the board was to consist of nine members, four of them to be selected by Dowie and a like number by Voliva. The ninth man was to be selected by the board as created. It was stipulated that both Dowie and Voliva be active members of this board and that the action of the members thereof be final in determining whether or not the deposed "First Apostle" or Voliva be the recognized head of the Christian Catholic Church.

Dowie rejected the proposal on the grounds that not only would he not acquesce in the appointment of Voliva on the board, but that he no longer recognized the new leader as a member of the church.

Clean up and get ready for spring. Take a few Early Risers. These famous little pills cleanse the liver, stomach and bowels and give the blood a chance to purify itself They relieve headache, sallow complexion, etc. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Names Son in "Revelation."

Joseph Smith, president of the Reorganized Church of Latter-Day Saints, on Monday rewarded his followers for several days of fasting and prayer by giving to the conference of the church in session in Independence, Mo., a revelation which appoints his son, Frederick M. Smith, to be his successor in the event of the father's death. A great crowd gathered at the conference to hear the message. President Smith was not present, but he was near the temple in meditation while his people heard his revelation read. For a time it looked as if the revelation would create a schism in the church, as it was believed by some that the revelation of April, 1902, conflicted with the present message as to President Smith's successor, but after some discussion the revelation was adopted unanimously.

Danger From The Plague.

There's grave danger from the plague of Coughs and Colds that are so prevalent, unless you take Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Mrs. Geo Walls, of Forest City, Me., writes: "It's a Godsend to people living in climates where coughs and colds prevail. I find it quickly ends them. It prevents Pneumonia, cures LaGrippe, gives wonderful relief in Asthma and Hay Fever, and makes weak lungs strong enough to ward off Consumption. Coughs and Colds 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Trial bottle free.

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MEETINGS.

Office of the Lanston Monotype Machine Co.,
1231 Callowhill Street,
Philadelphia, Pa., April 2, 1906.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the LANSTON MONOTYPE MACHINE COMPANY will be held at the Hotel Fleischmann, Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock noon, THURSDAY, the 19th day of April, 1906, for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before it. Transfer books will be closed on the 9th inst., at four o'clock p. m., and will be opened on April 24th at ten o'clock a. m.

By order of the board of directors.

WILFRED BANCROFT, Secretary.

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NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the PNEUMATIC TOBACCO STEMMER COMPANY will be held at the Hotel Fleischmann, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on TUESDAY, the 24th day of April, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and for the transaction of all business which may properly come before the meeting

L. P. WHITTAKER, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LOCKE COAL COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 3 o'clock p. m., on MONDAY, the 30th day of April, 1906. apr13 td

NOTICE—The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the COLUMBIA REAL ESTATE COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, May 7, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and other business.

A. P. FARDON, President.

D. BIRTWELL, Secretary.

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To the Stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company:

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the by-laws of the company, the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company will be held at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on MONDAY, the 30th day of April, 1906, at the principal office of the company No 111 south Fairfax street, in Alexandria, Virginia.

1. To elect a Board of 9 Directors of the company.

2. To transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

EDWARD RUHL, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON, ARLINGTON AND FALLS CHURCH RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, at Rosslyn, Virginia, on WEDNESDAY, May 2, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon. C. R. HINCHMAN, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the MOUNT VERNON AND MARSHALL HALL STEAMBOAT COMPANY (Limited) will be held at the company's office, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, May 7, 1906, at 3 p. m. HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.

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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, on the 11th day of April, 1906.

May Letitia Brown, complainant, vs. Lawson J. Brown, defendant, } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is that the complainant, May Letitia Brown, obtain an absolute divorce from the defendant, Lawson J. Brown, and that the complainant may be awarded the custody of their infant daughter, Florence Elizabeth Brown, and to obtain such other further and general relief as to equity may seem right and the circumstances of this case may require.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Lawson J. Brown, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette and Industrial Advocate, newspapers published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House in this city.

A copy—Teste:

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.

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SATURDAY,

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5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Southwestern Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 6:35, 9 33 and 10.48 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

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Leave Alexandria 8:21 A. M., 1:40, and 4:51 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:37 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 4:51 P. M on Sundays only for Bluemont.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.

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Trains leave station western end of Prince street for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 38 a. m., 12 21, 2 53, 7 07, 8 18, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 38 a. m., 12 21, 7 07, 8 18 and 11 33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 57 (local), and 11 05 a. m 4:00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 4 00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m.

Accommodation for Quantico 7 57 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 33 p. m. except Saturdays.

NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

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Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect November 1, 1905

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x, 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15 12 35, 1 00, 1 25 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30 6 45x, 7 00, 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m

Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40 11 00, 11 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 32, 2 32, 3 32, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40 3 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p m.

FOR ROSSLYN.

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 11 15 a. m, 12 15, 1-20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

Baggage checked and carried on the following trains from Alexandria for Washington week days: 8 30 and 10 25 a. m., 1 00, 3 00 and 6 10 p. m.

Sundays—8 15 a. m. and 6 20 p. m.

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